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Management of an Integrated Circuit  
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Examiner: T. S. Lau  
Group Art Unit: 2863

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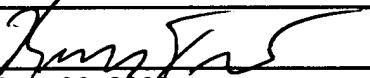
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